## FOREIGNERS SEEK **AMERICAN WARES**

Calls From All Parts of World Cover Products of Almost Every Kind.

GERMANS ENTERING LISTS

#### Latin American Firms Desire Manufactures of Many Varities From U. S.

The weekly list of trade chances gathered by the Department of Commerce is given below. Detailed information may be obtained by American firms through THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD, Pro- Parm Machinery for Bulgaria. wided the interrogator states specifically the number of the item and piaces each purchase and obtain an agency for the feem on a separate sheet. His query kinds machinery and equipment for mills. will be forwarded to the Department of Commerce, which in turn will supply him

with further data.

As the information is intended by the Department of Commerce to be given only to bona fide American firms, those wishing the data are required to fill out a blank, which may be obtained at room 734, Custom House, New York city. Readers are cautioned not to send queries directly to the Department of Commerce, as THE SUN AND NEW YORK

HERALD'S serial number, due to the in tricacies of compliation, differs from that of the Department This paper does not furnish credit ratings or assume any responsibility as to the financial status of business men

or firms abroad. Those desiring United States goods and what they want are: 2054-A company of merchants in India desires to represent firms on the basis of commissions to organize agencies and start branches for the sale of metals, hardware, chemicals, sundries, provisions, cutlery and heaters. 2015-A commercial agency firm in

Greace desires to represent manufacturers exporting unit goods, broadcloth, paper, olicioth, canned goods, confectionery, rice, elicioth, canned goods, confectionery. Fice, feur, sugar, shoe supplies, perfumery, ma-chinery, straight timber and timber for construction, and from materials. 3084—A firm of engineers in Peru de-sires to get agencies for the sale of steel and from structural material, pipe, nails, wire, bars, tin plates, &c. 2081—An American woman established in Rumania desires to obtain prices and catalogues from furnishing houses that will undertake the complete equipment of a

undertake the complete equipment of a first class hotel of ninety bedrooms. Equipment class hotel of ninety hedrooms. Equip-ment is required for kitchen, including utensils for cooking, dining room, billiard room, smoking room &c. She desires to get the representation of a firm for the equipment of hotels and the better class of Kumanian house, and also an agency for a good washing machine.

#### Australians Want Machinery.

2083—A merchant firm in Australia de-sires to purchase machinery, tools, moids or disks, and whatever is required to man-ufacture hollow cast lead or alloy figure toys, such as lead soldiers and animals, and machinery and tools to manufacture any article of everyday use suitable for the Australian market. 2688—The purchase is desired by a firm in Norway of upright planos, electric layer riance organs and all kinds of

in Norway of upright planes, electric player planes, organs and all kinds of fayer planes, organs and all kinds of nusical instruments and supplies.

2020—A business man in Northern frica desires the agency for the sale of tather, hides, hosiery, haberdashery, cotton goods, condensed milk and agricultural machinery. A stock of agricultural machinery is desired for exhibition purposes.

2021—A firm in Switzerland desires to urchase raw materials and foodstuffs, uch as rice, beans, peas, chocolate, concessed milk, coros. tea and coffee.

2022—A manufacturer in France desires o purchase machines for the manufacture f tollet sosp.

to purchase machines for the manufactures of toilet soap.

2032—A firm in Portugal desires the exclusive representation of a manufacturer of harvesting machinery.

2036—The son of a proporietor of a brokerage and commission house in Germany, who has been in the United States in the employ of a Pacific Coast exporting firm, plans to return to Germany and wishes accounts of Eastern and Southern producers of tobacco, cotton, some lines of fooders of tobacco, cotton, some lines of fooders of tobacco, and various kinds ers of tobacco, cetton, some lines of food-stuffs, particularly rice, and various kinds of cattle feed.

or cattle feed.

1095-A company in France haying large warehouses and space for repair shops, &c., desires to establish a branch house or agency for handling the sale of farm implements for a manufacturer in the United States.

area.

3936—A firm in India destree to purchase get the exclusive agency for the sale medium priced motor cars. 11-2 to 3 n motor trucks and automobile acces-

1097-A merchant firm in France desires 1997—A merchant firm in Francs desires the agency for or would purchase textile machinery of all kinds, industrial chemicals, aniline oils, bennol and allied products, appthalene and light and heavy oils 1993—A business man in Switzerland desires to purchase and get an agency from manufacturers for electrical heating and cooking apparatus and accessories, all of the best quality. cooking apparatus
the best quality.
1899—A company in Belgium desires to
purchase food products, salted meats, coffee, pickles and all products of American

origin.

1100—A merchant in Algeria desires to
purchase office furniture of wood or steel,
tapewriters, dictographs, calculating machines, phonographs for teaching foreign languages and carbon paper.

Spaniard Seeks Wheat and Corn. .1181—A commission merchant in Spain desires to be placed in communication with exporters of wheat, corn, ammonium sul-

exporters of wheat, corn, ammonium sulphate and sodium sulphate.

2192—A civil engineer in Austria desires an agency from American firms as consulting engineer or as representative for the industrial development of Austria.

2192—A merchant firm in Norway desires an agency for the sale of food products, dry goods, fancy goods, notions and specialities, women's and children's apparel, clothing for men, drugs, chemicals, tehacoo, coal, coke, rubber, rubber goods and kindred lines.

2104—The representative of American

and kindred lines.

2104—The representative of American manufacturers in South Africa desires an agency for machinery for extracting oil from sundower seeds. He wants blue prints for a smail plant and booklets of introduction as to the preparation and use of the oil.

2105—A sales company in Egypt desires tapurchase and obtain an agency for laces, howery, handkerchiefs, linen goods, boots and shoes, hardware, dry goods, earthenware, ename! ware, motorcycles, and in general all articles suitable for Egyptian

ware, enamel ware, motorcycles, and in general all articles suitable for Egyptian

general all articles suitable for Egyptian markets.

2108—A coal importer in Belgium desires an agency on commission for the sale of coal, furnace blocks, tiles, fire bricks, silica brick, clay products for glass factories, metallurgical works, &c.

2107—An agency is desired by a man in Ireland for the sale of boots and shoes for men, woman and children and hosiery and fleeced underwear, all of medium quality.

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2108—A merchant in Madeira desires to purchase and later get an agency for the best and medium grades of cord tires for automobiles, sizes \$15 by 106 millimeters and \$80 by 120 millimeters, 10 of each for the first shipment.

2129. The purchase is desired by a firm in France of wooden clothespins with spring cilps.

2110. A firm of architects in South Africa desires to purchase white sond for a \$600 equare yards of plaster.

2111. A merchant firm in Beigium desires to purchase white and yellow vaseline and white and white and yellow vaseline and white and yellow vaseline sand desires to get an agency from manufacturers for the sale in Holland of electrical measuring instruments and appliances.

Ills. Several American general import firms having branch houses in China de-sign to represent manufacturers for the sale of all classes of merchandise.

#### Celluloid Substitute Wanted.

2114. A manufacturing firm in Canada tasires to be placed in communication with a manufacturer of non-infammable celluloid substitute for the manufacture of

celluloid substitute for the manufacture of handles for toilet brushes.

2115. A commercial firm in Belgium desires an agency on commission and consignment of food products in general, dried fruits, canned fruits, fish, fat, &c.

2116. A dealer in furniture and art objects in France desires to add to his display American goods, especially linoleums, small dynamos, office furniture and appliances. He is willing to devote a room to the exhibit of American goods; will purchase outright, and enter into contracts with firms from whom he purchases for exclusive agencies. with firms from whom he purchases for exclusive agencies.

117. A merchant in Norway desires an agency for the sale of textiles dry goods, elething for men, women and children, vehicles, machinery and supplies for the printing industry.

118. An importing company in Madeira desires an agency on commission for the desires an agency on commission for the feed of the desires and agency on commission for the feed of the desires and agency on commission for the feed of the desires and agency on commission for the feed of the desires of the desires and agency on commission for the feed of the desires of the desires and agency of the desires and agency of the desires and the desires of the desi

sale of cambrics for Madeira hand em-broideries. Samples of various qualities are requested. Also an agency is desired for the sale of yellow rice in bags of 100 kilos, and codfish, salted in tanks or drums of 121 pounds. Dealings with manufacturers and exporters only are de-sired.

manufacturers and experters only are desired.

Ii13. A firm in Scotland desires to purchase sutomatic machinery for the manufacture of paper bags and cartons.

I126. A manufacturing firm in England desires to purchase outright glass bottles of 2½ and 5 ounces, and panel bottles of white flint, in quantities of 1,000 gross of each size.

I121. A desier in musical instruments in Norway desires to purchase accordions from manufacturers, and wishes the sole agency for their sale in Norway.

I122. The representative in the United States of a firm in Italy desires an agency for the sale in that caustay of water and steam fittings, kitchen ware, locks, hinges and general hardware.

I122. The water commissioners of a city in Scotland desire to purchase \$15 tons of cast from pipe, 15 by \$1 inches by 12 feet.

I114. A merchant in Turkey desires to 

tons of cast fron pipe, 15 by % inches by 13 feet.

1124. A merchant in Turkey desires to purchase from a manufacturer a line of preserved fruits, and particularly jams.

1125. A manufacturing firm in France desires to purchase machines for making paper boxes, and for sewing cardboard used for boxes, and wrapping paper of all kinds, and cardboard.

1125. An agency on commission is desired by a manufacture for the said. 2116. An agency on commission is de-sired by a man in Belgium for the sale of automobiles and accessories, motor-cycles, ells and greases.

Fig. A company in Bulgaria desires to purchase and obtain an agency for the purchase and obtain an agency for the power to 25 horsepower. 2128. A commercial agent in England desires an agency for the sale of first class

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2100 White Oil. 21%
200 W desires an agency for the sais of histories and agency for the sais of histories and agency for the sais of histories and active of Chile desires to purchase electrical machinery and appliances.

2135. A manufacturing company in Finland desires to purchase and equipment of the sais of all kinds of telephones and equipment.

2121. A merchant in Beigium desires to purchase everything relating to building a pardware, such as joints, hinges, locks, ventilating apparatus and automatic door checks.

3132. The American representative of a firm in Holland desires agencies for the sale in that country of meats, fats, pro-

233. An importing firm in Syria dealess to purchase underwear, cotton mixed, wool and fleeted, as it has large orders to fill.
2334. A firm in Brazil, through its agent in the United States, wishes to represent manufacturers of agricultural and industrial machinery, bridge material, steam and hydraulic pumps, printing machinery, railroad materisis, automobiles, barbed wire, iron and steel products, tools, belling, cement, newsprint paper, rubber tubes and tires, cloth, codfah, fruits, fibres, electrical larges, hardware, gasolene, kerosene, and thes, cook, comman, fruit, nores, escritical lamps, hardware, gasolene, kerosene, lubricating oils, kitchen utensils, leather trunks and bags, tooth paste, wheat flour, and also the agency for a steamship com-

pany. 2115—A wholesale importer in Turkey desires to enter into business relations with manufacturers of hosiery, underwear and

manufacturers of hosiery, underwear and knit goods.

1135—A merchandising firm in India desires to purchase and get an agency for plece goods, soft goods, feits, hosiery, chemicals, paints, varnishes, tin plate, wire nails, hardware, provisions, wince, spirita boots and shoes, soaps, disinfectants and sundries.

1137—An importer of films in Beigium desires an agency for the sale in Beigium and Holland of American films.

2138. A merchant in Bulgaria desires an agency for the sale of boots and shoes of high quality only for men, women and children; cinematograph films and machines, photographic apparatus, &c.

1135—The director of a firm in Australia is in the United States and desires to represent manufacturers for the sale of American merchandise in Australasia.

1140—A commercial agent in France desires an agency for the sale of chemical accounts about a products and sires an agency for the sale of chemical products, pharmaceutical products and technical supplies. 2141—A manufacturer in Chile desires to

purchase a machine for making cigarettes and 100 rolls of medium quality white paper for use in the manufacture of cigarettes. 2142-A trading company in the United

cigarettes.

2142—A trading company in the United States having agencies throughout Europe. Latin America. Africa and Australia desires to purchase and get an agency for chemicals, dyes, drugs, foodstuffs, cotton piece goods, hosiery, underwear, shoes, leather, automobiles and accessories and general merchandise.

2143—The commercial branch of a bank in Bulgaria under the management of an engineer who was educated in the United States and familiar with American business methods desires to be placed in touch with manufacturers or corporations desiring to premote trade with the Balkans. promote trade with the Balkana.

#### THE WEEKLY CURB MARKET.

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200 Delatour Bev. 13%
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feeling in securities and improvement in sterling caused commission house buying. The movement continues moderate. There may be increases in recipts as advices on Friday indicated a little heavier loading in the country it is thought that the bulk of that grain is for old sales and not apt to be pressed on the market on arrival. Termination of the priority order on Wednesday leaves only a few days more for the enlarged invovement expected during that period. To date the movement has been only fair, the order accomplishing little in increased receipts. The weather was generally favorable with lower termination of the Mississippi River and in the North, which, although good for the roads, makes railroading diriculti was for the Mississippi River and in the North, which, although good for the roads, makes railroading diriculti lithly in the local cash market was provided as the close caused corn to sell down from lithly lightly to dinary dipped white, \$1,02; No. 3 white, \$1,02; No. 3 white, \$1,02; No. 3 white, \$1,02; No. 3 white, \$1,03; No. 2 white, \$1,02; No. 3 white, \$1,03; No. 3 white, \$1, Open. High. Low. Close. day. 153 1604 1584 1604 1584 1544 1554 1544 1554 154 July CORN-

SEABOARD CLEARANCES.

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GRAIN MARKET.

in sterling caused commission house

The corn market displayed a firm

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD. ment regulates the price of all com- Blanca for New York, scheduled for tomodities will it be possible for the State ay, has been indefinitely postponed. It to fix the price of milk and successfully is reported the Foreign Office has readminister its distribution to New York ceived word that the new British Mincity. Such is the conclusion reached by later to Argentina, James W. R. Mac-Senator J. Henry Walters, majority Aires, is bringing a communication conleader, and his colleagues in the upper cerning the attitude of the Allies toward house, who have decided to turn down the status of the steamer, whose pur the price fixing milk bill, known as the chase by Argentina during the war has Thompson-Block measure, now before never been recognized, the question

Republican up-State representatives will cision. At any rate, it is known posi-do their utmost to prevent the advance-ment of the bill," Senator Walters said Bianca has been held up for reasons ment of the bill." Senator waiters and glanca has been need up for reasons to-day. "The organizations composed of farmers who have registered their distinster, who is due early next week.

The Bahia Bianca has a cargo conrest assured that the measure will be signed to ten North American concerns rest assured that the measure will be signed to ten North American concerns opposed by those who have some knowl- who are said to have notified the shipedge of farming conditions. We will pers that they are willing to assume the lend all possible aid to cut the cost of risk of possible capture of the vessel by distribution, but it will not be done to a British or French war ship. It is + 14 the detriment of the dailymen and the learned that local insurance companies discouragement of dairy production.

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"As well try to regulate the courses for insurance against its capture

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that Mr. Macleay was expected to
of milk and not at the farmers shall pay for bring a communication regarding the mine what the farmers shall pay for bring a communication regarding the feed, for transportation, for labor and all British or Allied viewpoint respecting the other elements which are determin-ing factors in establishing prices. It is the Foreign Minister would be willing to entirely a question of supply and demand, examine. and I know of no way by which this to be unaware of the nature of the com-State can legislate in dealing with a munication, asserting that the Bahia commodity of interstate trade without Blanca would be sent on her voyage, no lamaging the interests of this State."

The pending bill has strong backing from New York city. It would create a but they could regulate distribution and Blanca's arrival there, as has been would have authority to establish pas-teurization plants in New York. The metropolitan interests are getting ready to make a big drive for their pet measto make a big drive for their pet measure. Senator Walters's avowed hostility probably will end the campaign for this session.

Senator Walters said that any meas give any commission such absolute power as is proposed would be an aggravated outrage against farming and dairy in-While he favors any measure which will reduce the price of milk to New York as well as to other cities Man- and the authorities are concerned lest ator Waiters believes the proposed measure could not possibly accomplish any

# JAP FOOD PRICES ARE HIGH JUMPERS

They Eclipse American Advances.

Those housekeepers who receive their stated all the river and coast ports with grocery bills to-day and frown over the totals should take heart. In Japan the bill representing the same articles strike is preventing the embarkation of would total two and one-half times as Those housekeepers who receive their Food, fuel and clothing there, Buenos Aires carnival. according to Capt. George A. Stavrakov, formerly an officer in the Russian navy. whose home is in Kobe, Japan, who was at the Hotel Astor yesterday, deciared that the people of the United States +1-16 should consider themselves fortunate

their normal quantities," he added, "the stand of prices."

Japanese will feel the sting of prices with a production of 144,202,887 barrels. Aires, the two American surgeons had in October; the field of "Panuco y Japanese women wearing daintily colored Kimonos and hand painted headpieces kimonos and hand painted headpieces same period of time 1,817,900,205 barrels: "Tepetate y Chinampa," with its 10 wells, produced \$2,885,758,891 barrels: "Tepetate y Chinampa," with its 10 wells, produced \$2,885,758,891 barrels: "Chilean Minister Received.

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STOCKHOLM, Feb. 15.—Augustin Edwas a spirit of conservatism and thrift.

Among the latest arrivals at the city 187,233, and "Sariat," with one well, feeling in securities and improvement now.

WOMEN MEMBERS PICKED. WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.-Appointment of eleven women as members of the Executive Committee of the Democratic National Committee was announced to-day by Chairman Hemer S. Cummins. 21.50 21.50 21.55 21.42 21.40 Six additional women members will be appointed soon to make the woman

. 18.47 18.50 18.55 18.62 18.47 membership correspond with that of the 19.00 18.57 18.55 18.50 men. Those appointed were:
. 25.00 25.05 24.90 25.06 24.90 Miss Elisabeth Marbury, New York; Miss Elisabeth Marbury, New 25.00 25.00 25.00 34.50 Miss Caroline Ruuts-Rees, Greenwich, 187ERIOR RECEIPTS. Conn.; Mrs. Kellogg Fairbanks, Chicago; Conn.; Mrs. Kellogg Fairbanks, Chicago; Wheat. Corn. 181,000 1.631,000 1.632

# GERMAN-ARGENTINE SHIP IS HELD UP

Walters and Other Senators Sailing for New York Put Off While Allies Are Fixing Status of Vessel.

be Legislature.

'To protect the dairy industry the mission of the Peace Conference for descouragement of dairy production. have demanded a ten per cent premium for insurance against its capture

The Foreign Office professe interference being contemplated

It is understood, however, that in case Great Britain or the Allies jointly commission of three members, who should take action to secure possession would be the milk dictators of the State. of the vessel, including the initiation by Not only could they fix the price to be them of prize court proceedings in the harged for every quart of milk sold, United States courts after the Bahia h pas-hinted, Argentina will appeal to the The High Court of the League of Nations.

#### **BUENOS AIRES FUN** ures which tends to decrease production Carnival Week Opens Under can result only in increasing cost. To Difficulties.

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 15 .- On the ev senos Aires is suffering four strikes. the strike movement spreads. The strikes include the coastwise and river steamship crews, slaughter house laborers, house masons and taxicab chauffeurs. The latter left the city without taxicabs to-day because of the refusal of the authorities to permit them to charge their own prices during the carnival. They threaten to continue the strike throughout the entire carnival.

Last night bombs we exploded, dam-naging the residences of two building constructors, but causing no casualties. It is believed the bombs were placed Capt G. A. Stavrakov Says by striking masons. The strike of slaughter house men, which began three days ago, threatened a meat famine until North American packing houses agreed to supply the city until the termination of the strike.

The strike of steamship crews has iso lated all the river and coast ports with

#### OIL PRODUCTION IN MEXICO.

they have.

"The prices of clothing and food in Japan," he said, "have advanced to five times what they were three years ago.

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"The prices of clothing and food in the month of Octor of other lines from that city to the tober it produced 1.251,765,160 barrels of south. times what they were three years ago. tober it produced 1.291,765,189 barrels of of of there they have only about doubled. There is no real need or want in Japan, but the matter of living conditions is at There is no real need or want in Japan, forty-eight wells in the Panuco and but the matter of living conditions is al-

casier and active due to scattered profit "They are conscious," he said, "that taking and general belief that grains were due for a reaction after such rapid prices at their present level in Japan produced 1.942, "Cerro Azul," with one But firmness in cash received as they have experienced. less preventive measures were taken well, produced 1,291,765; the field of the

#### Latest News Notes of Latin America

A course in agricultural geography will be provided by the Argentine Government for the instruction of newly arrived immi-gants. This is due to the great influx of agricultural colonists at the present time. It is reported from La Pas that several

Japanese companies are being organized to establish colonies in Bolivia. They are said to be interested chiefy in the ex-ploitation of mines and petroleum deposita. Dr. Sylvino Gurgel do Amaral has been named Minister of Brazil in Peru. He was Minister to Germany until the declaration of hostilities by Brazil and recently has served his country in Switzerland.

A municipal tax is new levied in Ri de Janeiro on all foreign language sign unless accompanied by a Portuguese trans-lation.

The Chilean Congress has passed a law providing for the establishment of a peo-ple's credit bank, with branches through-out the republic, in an effort to ameliorate the financial condition of the poorer classes. President Gutlerrez of Honduras has

President Gutierrez of nonduras nas formed his Cabinet as follows: Minister of Foreign Relations, Vicente Meja Co-lindres; Finance, Ernesto Guillen; Govern-ment, Ochoa Velsaquez; War, Cairo Lagoe; Mines, Gen. Ernesto Alvarado; Public In-struction, Josus M. Alvarado.

A monument in honor of the Mexican poet, Amado Nervo, has been presented to the Mexican people by the Government of Uruguay, and will be unveiled in Mexico City during the latter part of February. The Peruvian Congress has appropriated 1,588,088 pounds (Paruvian) for the improvement of port facilities at Callao.

Excellent progress is being made in the construction of Uruguay's handsome new national capitol. During the present year the work will be expedited by the employment of 500 workmen. The building is not expected to be fully completed until 1925.

#### So. American Exchange

Cables, Demand. Argentine (gold) .... 98.25 98.37 Argentine (currency) 43.25 43.37 Brazil (milreis) ..... 25.25 Colombia ..... 99.50 Ecuador ..... 2.13 Nicaragua ..... 1.00 

#### Notes of Latin American COLOMBIA'S NEW Colony in New York

Urgent business affairs have caused change in the plans of Dr. Domingo Sal-aberry, Minister of Finance of Argen-tina, and he will leave at once for Palm No Attempt at Nationalizing Beach and thence to Havana, where con-nection will be made with a boat for

Special to The Sun and New York Herain,
ALBANY, Feb. 15.—Not until Government regulates the price of all comRights Of Vessel.

Dr. Alves de Lima, inspector of Brazillan consulates in the United States, and Dr. Victor Cunha, Consul of Brazillan consulates in the United States, and Dr. Victor Cunha, Consul of Brazillan in San Francisco, will sail for Rio de Janeiro on the steamer Uberaba. The text of Columbia's new petroeum law enaced on December 30, 1913, has just reacled this country and the conditions under which the important

and Bahia Blanca will sail from Buenos Aires this week en route to New York, where they will report to the Naval Attache, Captain Riza, of 2 West Sixtyseventh street.

Felipe Taboada has been appointed Consul General of Cuba in New York, according to a telegram received here. Leopoldo Dolz, formerly Consul General here, will go to Holland to fill a similar A number of Venesuelan diplomat

have arrived on their way to their posts in this country and in Europe. J. A. Michelena will go to Paris as Secretary of the Venezuelan Legation there. Drs. Arroyo Lameda and Guillermo Todd will act as commercial attaches in Washington and London. Enrique Tejera, Con-sul General at Berne, Switzerland, and Consuls Humberto Marques, of St. Louis, and B. Hernandez, of Montreal, are also the President of the republic issued a en route to their respective posts.

Dr. Alencar, recently appointed Bra-zilian Ambassador to the United States, will arrive in New York aboard the steamer Kaiserin Auguste Victoris, about February 22. Dr. Alencar has been in diplomatic work for many years, his last post being that of Minister of his last post being that of Minister of Brazil to Peru.

### AIRPLANE PLANT FOR CHILL

critish Company Said to Have Made Deal.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Feb. 15 .- Aviation progress in Chile is due to receive a thrust forward in the near future if reports from London are true. etated that Sr. Edwards, Chilean Ambussador in London, has induced the Holt Thomas Aircraft Manufacturing Company of England to send a representative to Chile and as a result of a conference with the Government that mpany has been persuaded to establish a factory in or near Santiago, which will manufacture aeroplanes, both military and commercial.

first the activities of the company of carnival week beginning to-night, will be confined to meeting the demands of the army and navy, but once these are attended to it is expected that planes for passenger and mail service will be constructed. The latter will be of great value to Chilean business men, for elongated shape of the country and the slowness of both steamship and railway communications has been a decided handicap to the carrying on of commercial transactions between the centre regions to the north and south.

Argentine Publishers Criticised.

Rome, Feb. 15 .- The Messaggero critises publishers and booksellers in Latin America, particularly in Buenos Aires, who, it asserts, buy Italian books and newspapers at the present rate of exchange and sell them as though Italian money were at par. In this way, the paper says, thry pocket 200 per cent, on their saies and greatly restrict the diffusion of Italian printed matter.

New Cable Service to Montevideo made to the Ministry of Public Works MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 15 .- The last link in the new cable line of the All America and must be presented in person or by Cable Company from Santos to Monterideo was completed to-day and the cations shall clearly state the size and service will be open to the public with- location of the area of exploitation, One line has already which must not exceed 5,000 hectares or There are at the present time, ac- been laid between Montevideo and be less than 1,000 hectares. No individthat the people of the United States and the Unite All applications will be published in the Official Gazette, and a concession can be granted only after a period of ninety days shall have elapsed from the

Surgeons to Return From Chile. SANTIAGO, Chili, Feb. 15 .- Dr. Will-He said all factories and industrial plants were running in good order, and therefore, with the exports to other countries, the Japanese were receiving good wages and the manufacturers were prospering. "But as soon as the other nations of the world begin to produce their normal quantities," he added, "the Japanese will feel the sting of prices."

Japanese will feel the sting of prices." also to the approval of the President.

> STOCKHOLM, Feb. 15 .- Augustin Edwards, Chilean Minister to Great Bri tain, who recently was named to represent Chile at the Swedish capital while retaining his London post, presented his credentials to King Gustav on Friday. He was driven in the State coach with four horses and an outrider from his hotel to the palace, was received in ceremony by the King.



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# OIL LAW CUTLINED

oil deposits of that republic may be

Since the discovery of the great pos

sibilities of the petroleum industry in

Colombia there has been much discus-

sion as to the attitude the Government

should take in regard to its exploits

tion. spinion was divided between

those who held that all subsoil rights,

whether in private or public lands,

should belong to the nation and those

who naintained that such rights in the

as state property only if it had been

acquired by the Government prior to

1877, the date of the enactment of the

Since the Congress of Colombia had

macted no specific law on the subject

cree on June 20, 1919, for the purp

of bringing about some solution of the

question. Certain portions of this de-

cree indicated that it was the purpose

Changed by Supreme Court.

Before Congress took any action

ombia on November 21, 1919, decided

that those portions of the executive

decree were unenforceable which im

plied national ownership over privately

owned lands. The present law em bodies this decision of the Supreme Court and regulates in detail al

phases of petroleum exploitation.

By the provisions of the law the oil

bearing lands of the public are divided into three zones, vis.: Those situated within 200 kilometers from the coast.

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situated more than 400 kilometers from

the coast. Privately owned oil lands

ject to a production tax of 10, 8 and

per cent, respectively. These minimum taxes shall be increased 1 per cent

cessions granted on public lands shall

may an annual tax of 10 centavos per

hectare (2.47 acres) for the first year

20 centavos for the second, 50 centavos

fourth year until the expiration of the

In order to discourage the purchase

of all lands for the purpose of prevent-ing their development and thus of ex-

luding competition with other petrolif-

ia, a special article stipulates that if

after a period of twenty years the Gov-

ernment ascertains the fact that such lands are capable of profitable develop-

ment, a tax of five pesos per hectare may be levied until exploitation is begun.

Applied to Foreigners

pressly state that they submit them-selves to the provisions of the laws con-

cerning foreigners and naturalization enacted in 1888 and any subsequent

Applications for concessions must be

Concessions must be passed upon by

the Ministry of Public Works, by the special Council of Finance, recently cre-

ated, and by the Cabinet, being subject

Leases run for twenty years and may

date of such publication,

Foreigners who become interested in he exploitation of petroleum shall ex-

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exploited as now definitely known.

ton, at the office of the Colombian Con-sul-General in this city or in the Latin American Department of THE SUN AND NEW YORK HESALD. Production-Private Ownership Respected.

#### REVOLT TALK HERE STIRS PERUVIANS

be renewed for ten years more at the

be renewed for ten years more at the option of the Government. The Government expressly reserves the right to exploit all deposits situated under the sea, lakes and navigable rivers.

Copies of the law may be consulted at the Colombian Legation in Washington at the office of the Colombias Co.

Reports True, Insist Government Organs.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 15 .- The charges of Consul-General Higginson, Peruvian Consul-General in New York, to the effect that attempts were being made by anti-Government Peruvians in the United States to organize an expedition in Mexico for a revolutionary attempt in Peru, published here in El Tiempo, have aroused a storm of controversy in the local press. The Government organs, however, maintain that the charges are

The La Paz, Bolivia, correspondent of El Tiempo forwards the following des-

case of private lands could be regarded "I have secured authoritative information that Gen. Montes (Bolivian delegate to the Peace Conference at Paris) came from Europe on the call of the Chilean Government to compel the Bo livian Government to accept the agree ment entered into between Montes and the Chilean Minister to Great Britain, Augustin Edwards, in London.
"Montes had a hard fight to attain his

urpose, as President Gutlerrez held our against him tenaciously. The result of the matter is an agreement between the Bolivian Minister of Foreign Affairs and the Chilean Minister to Bolivia, Bello Codecido, under which Bolivia will sup-port Chile in the League of Nations in exchange for the cession by Chile of the seacoast between Juan Diaz Bay and the Sama River." (The Sama River

Other advices from La Paz report a clash between pro-Chilean and pro-Peruvian elements in that city, in which an attempt to loot Peruvian business establishments was prevented by the

Among conservative observers in dip lomatic circles in Lima the opinion expressed is that Gen. Montes and the Chilean Government are following a well defined programme with the prob-able tacit assistance and encouragemen of the juntas in New York, composed of supporters of Jose Pardo, former Presi

#### Latin-American Holidays for Week of Feb. 16

Monday, February 16, is a holiday n Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, French West Indies, Peru and Uruguay, Tuenday is a holiday in Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, French Guiana, French West Indies, Panama, Peru and Uruguay.

Wednesday is a holiday in Bolivia. This is a reminder to those who transact business by cable.



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